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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT  
BASED ON FAILURE TO RECEIVE OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

Applicant petitions to withdraw holding of abandonment of the present patent application based on failure to receive office action.

Applicant is submitting a declaration stating that applicant did not receive the office action. Applicant runs a small start up company from home, and therefore does not maintain a formal docket record to show the nonreceipt of the office action. Applicant submits that applicant has searched and found no receipt of the office action, and this is the only office action that applicant does not receive among the various U.S. patent applications submitted.

Upon receiving the Notice of Abandonment, applicant contacts the USPTO to request a copy of the Office Action (A Notice to File Corrected Application Papers), and an amendment is enclosed herewith.

Applicant respectfully requests the abandonment withdrawn based on failure to receive the office action.

Respectfully submitted

8/10/05  
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